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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT.

Relating

Serial Nos. 7

Part B for May 22

SUBJECT.

Passing orders on the alienation of certain lands endowed to the Nanjundeshwara Swami temple at Nanjangud

No 6579-20 Dt 19-5-22
to the Mysore Comptr

Passes orders re S.Nos 320, 154, 859 & 173 endowed to the temple in question.

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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT

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NOTES.

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1920-21

FILE HEADING.

Particulars of occupancy, cultivation &c of Thiruvannamalai lands endowed to the Sri Naina Sambandha Swami temple at Madras.

From

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Routine Notes.

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I I made all possible efforts to find out refs if any available on this subject, but no refs are readily forthcoming.

Submitted

W. 7.8.20

2 Note

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3 Draft submitted

W 10.8.20

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4 A draft prepared under the direction of the undersigned

13/8/20

5 Some draft

Submitted

Signed and issued

Issued at once

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Routine Notes.

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2 From the Dy Com.r Nagpur No. 174 of 21.4.21 & 14.5.21 Subject a statt.: of Inam & Govt. lands & the temple in question with the info.n wanted supplied.

The Sub Dn Officer says, that in respect of some lands, the auttenig. & enjoyment & present occupancy is in doubt and is being enquired into & a further report sub.d.

This will be awaited.

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3 No 4263 & 31-5-21
To, The D.C. Mysore
Requests him to dispose the correspondence pending in his office re certain lands and enquires how the other lands have been disposed of

Sh 4 From the Dy Comr. Mysore No. 174 & 20.21 & 2.12.21. Furnishes info re the present occupancy in regard to certain lands endowed to this temple.

15 The Dy Comr says that as regards S.Nos 85 & and 320, reports from the local officers have not been recd & that they will be subd on their receipt from them.

16 As regards S.No. 173, it is said that the land belongs to the present occupant's father & so it was handed over to his possession on payt of a

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deposit of Rs 250 & the temple.

17 The S.N. 154 — The records are found to be pending with the Dy Comr & the case posted for hearing before him on 5-12-21. The date has passed.

18 So if appd. The Dy Comr may be asked the public Instr of the records relating to S.Nos 154, 320 & 859, and to send up the papers regarding S.No 81/1 & the personal order of H.H.

Sd
20/12/21

H.H.W 20/12

To
Offr Subd
Hn.
21/12/21.

5 To The Dy: Comr, Mysore Dist
No: 3361 dy 7.1.22
Calls for the [illegible]
to Sy No. 154 [illegible]
Nadu.

From, the Dy. Comr, Mysore Dist
Letter no. 174 dy 8-3-1922.

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Submits further report called for in sl. 6.

The Dy. Comr has reported on lands bearing S. nos 320, 173, 154 and 859 said to have been alienated from the Narasimha Swami temple at Madura

(1), S. no. 320. This land consists of 2a-6g of wet land assessed at 14f and 14 funtas of garden land assessed at 2f. As regards this land, the Dy. Comr reports that as the land is seen to have been alienated about the year 1846, there is no provision of law to deprive possession from its present occupants, that he has approved of the Sub Divl. Officer's suggestion to enhance the futtah during the current year's jamabandy, and promises to submit a further report in due course. The records relating to this land, have not been received.

(Para 6 of D.O. letter dt. P.W.D)

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S. no. 173. This is a Sircar a & (wet) land measuring 3-27 and assessed at ~~Rs~~ 2 ℛ. The facts connected with this S. no. are set forth in Dy. Comm's. order Dy 10-11-1921.

It is reported that the Khata of this land was originally in the name of the deity, and was surrendered in 1876 by the cultivator Devaraj Iyengar. There are no records to show what exactly occurred thereafter. Kulli Chikka father of the present holder Santa alias Chikka subsequently acquired the land probably on Darkhast, and has the registered Khatedar at the time of the administration of the survey in 1888. His right to the land was recognized. There is nothing to show whether Kulli Chikka was paying anything out of the produce, but on his death and during his son's minority, his maternal uncle Kulli made some

I (vide extract of Varnul Baki register).

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a regd deed in 1895 agreeing to pay a fanam & Rs 10-4-0 to the temple. The Dy. Comr concludes that this was brought about by the persuation of the Talia Amildar of the time. Again in the year 1904, when the lease of the land was again sold, the same Kulli made Sowda took it up for Rs 45-4-0. Excluding the Rent the temple was getting Rs 15-4-0. In 1911, when the lease was again sold, both Kulle made Sowda and Sunda alias chikka raised takrar, the latter contending that the land was his & by his late father under Darkhast and that & had no right to sell the lease etc. The Sub Divl officer before whom the matter finally came up for order 8, directing decided on 29-11-15, that the lease may be sold for a period of 5 years. 25 The matter came up in appeal before the previous

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Dy. Com^r Mr S Hiriannaiya who after further enquiry, found that the land belonged to the present occupant's father and not to the temple, and directed that the land may be surrendered in favor of Santa alias chikka.—

It is for expenses during the Ratotsava, the temple was getting Rs 15/- from the land. Its occupant having agreed to deposit Rs 250/- as an endowment to the temple, the interest being utilized for Ratotsavam expenses in place of Rs 15/-, the Dy Com^r reports that he will take action separately in the matter.

2) S. no. 154— this is a Sirkar land measuring 1-21 of wet land assessed at Rs 10/-, and 1-3 of garden land assessed at Rs 8/-. It is in the occupation of

Map & necessary Deed is required.

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temple by me Pattamma & channapatna for feeding Brahmins during the Rathotsava of Sri Narasimha Swami.

The gift was accepted by Govt in order no. 2739-40 Dy 14.5.1910. The land was permanently leased out by Pattamma & Lakshminarasiah in the same sale on

eed) an annual kattu of Rs 39-2-0. There is a stipulation to the effect that in case of failure to pay up the kattu, the Govt may cancel the Kayam kattu right the holder having failed to keep up to the terms of the deed, and having declined to take advantage of the chance to retain the land for the price that the successful bidder at the resale offered, the Dy. Comr has to rejected his appeal the resale has been held Dy. Comr submits for sanction the result of the sale in case Contn

P.to D.

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S. No. 859. This is an inam (Jardan) land measuring 1-8 and assessed at Rs 12f.

The present holder Venkatachar has admitted in his statement of 25-2-21, that in 1876, this land came to the possession of his father Somasiengar through the heirs of one Subbiah to whom it had been given by the temple for Kayam Archaka service, and has produced an extract copy of the Sagwali Jakhta of 1876 wherein Raja Bijanagi and Kandaya are mentioned.

As the alienation is subsequent to 31st Jany. 1853, Both the Sub Divl Officer and the Inam Supdt to whom was consulted in the matter, are of opinion that the land may be resumed & fresh grant & for early disposal Sanction

[illegible] As for lands 320 & 154

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The Dy Comr. may be requested to submit the further report with reasons as early as possible.

32 A report of action taken in respect of S.No. 173 which has been ordered to be given over to the holder may be asked to be intimated to Govt. for their orders.

33 As regards the S.No 85/9 an inam land of the temple, the Dy Comrs view that it might be resumed seems to be quite correct. He may be asked to take action accordingly at once and dispose of it understanding order to the best advantage of the temple.

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34 S. No 3/-1 What is the evidence about the alienation of this land, in 1840? Did the donee appear at the Inam Settlement and make a representation

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How was the land dealt with at that settlement?

35 I. L. R. ~~1913~~ 173 The land in suit was found in the Khata of the temple and was entered at Rs 28, the assessment thereon, and at a rupee or two to the temple as cash allowance. Subsequently Kalia Bhuiya, appellant's father, took up the land in about 1876 and continued to hold it till his death in 1895—paying Rent Rs 28, which is the assessment on the land, and Rs 4 per annum to the temple as before. The Khata of the land was entered in his name and with the knowledge of the temple authorities. Even when in the Khata was in his name, he was paying Rs 4 per annum to the temple as before. On his death the guardian of appellant his minor son succeeded to

The appellant before the Commissioner

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Lease deed by Ayyan of the temple
Cultivate Kuleyan for 5 years and to give the temple
agreed upon Rs 10.4-0 per
annum as rental in addition to
Rent Rs 28 levied as assessment upon
the lands of the year, appellant to
irrigate, at an auction
sale, the right of cultivating the land
for a period of five years agreeing
to give the temple Rs
per annum as rent in addition
to the above assessment. Having agreed
to the said kind appellant bound himself paying unto the temple
the rental of his pleading in obtaining
the aforesaid lease deed and in
irrigating up the land at the auction
sale Cannot the said respondent
file or produce as not known to
the minor. Appellant and his
father have not been known under
the temple and the order of the
Court directing that the appellant
must pay the rent as found
appears to be incorrect. And appellant
has agreed to give Rs 250 to the
temple is a point which is not pertinent

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6th decision of the Com-
S. no 154 in the
Settlement Register of Calcutta
this land is entered

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Type the orders as recommended
by the Do
Second Member) 28/3/22

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7	No 6519-20 dy 19th May 1922 Do The D.C. Impose the Compt Roller Requests to rescind the D.C's ~~letter~~ report re Survey no 320, approves the D.C. Vardesi S. No 154, agrees with the D. opinion to resume S. No 85 (part) and set aside the D.C's order re S. No. denies [illegible]

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1240/Inam Dy 1.10.20

To

The Deputy Commissioner,

Mysore District, Mysore.

Sir,

Inam cor 270-20 -/ It having been brought to the notice of the Government that several of the lands endowed to Sri Narasimhaswami Temple at --- Maddur have been alienated, I am directed to request that you will be so good as to ~~instruct the Amildar to enquire into the~~ present occupancy, and cultivation of every one of the inam lands, registered in the name of the Temple at the Inam Settlement and if any of them be found to have been alienated in any way, to take the needful steps under the provisions of the late Chief Commissioner's Notification of 17th November 1877.

forward a Statement. Showing the

and

2. I am to request that the lands may all be inspected during the current year's Jamabandy and a statement in the form appended submitted to Government by 1st December next. A similar enquiry may ~~made~~ also be made in respect of Mandagan lands if any granted to the Temple.

I have etc.,

Dft) Secretary to Government

Inam Department.

Hnp.

18/8/20

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Particulars of land.

Hobli.	Village.	S.No. and Designation.	Extent.	Assessment.	Jodi.	By whom occupied and cultivated.	Under what authority and consideration -- particulars of transaction with -- action taken under notification of 1877.	If alienated --

DIARY No. 2358

1920-21

From The deputy commissioner
Mysore district.

To The Secretary
to the Government of the Madras
of Mysore, Miscellaneous Department
Bangalore,

Dated 14th May 1921

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GEN. REV. SECTT.

General No. Repd No: 174 of 1921.

No.

Enclosure No. one statement,

Submits a statement of Inam and
Government Lands under cul-

Sd/- 16/5/21

Misc. No. 174 of 1921
Encumbrances.

Office of the Deputy Commissioner

Mysore District.

Dated, Mysore, 14th May 1921.

From

P.F. Bourdillon, Esq.,

Deputy Commissioner,

Mysore District.

To

T.R. Jagarama Iyer, Esq., B.A., B.L.,

Secretary to the Government of

His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore,

Mamlat Department, Bangalore.

Sir,

Adverting to your letter No.1240/Luz, dated 1-10-20, I have the honor to submit herewith a statement of Inam and Government Lands endowed to Sri Narasimha Swami Temple at Maddur, with particulars of occupancy, cultivation etc., received with French Rocks Sub Division Officer's letter No.R.F.C.416/20-21 dated the 30th April 1921.

The Sub Division Officer reports that the authority under which some of the lands are being enjoyed by the occupants thereof, and also the particulars of transactions in respect of some of the lands alienated are being enquired into. Further report is promised by him on completion of the enquiry

He has been written to, however, to complete the enquiry early.

On hearing from him a further report will be submitted.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

For Deputy Commissioner,
Mysore District.

Date of issue 31.5.21

Signed by [illegible]

To The Deputy Commissioner
Mysore District
Mysore

Sir,

Adverting to your
letter No 174 dated 14th May 21
Submitting a Statement
showing the lands endowed
to the Devi Narasimha Swamy
temple at Maddur and
their present occupancy &c
I am directed to state that

the Government regarding the ~~disposal of the~~ marginally noted lands are shown ~~to be~~ either (A) under correspondence or (B) ~~to be~~ pending in your office.

I am to enquire how the latter have been disposed of and to request that the former may be disposed of soon and the result intimated to Govt.

I have &c

(A) S. No 859 held by Tiruvenkatachar & Krishnappa

(B) S. No Portions 7-20 held by Losale Nanjappa Ahamed Beig

" 154 held by Lakshminarasiah

" 173 " Karimuddegowda

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Asst: Secretary

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From The Deputy Commissioner
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To The Secretary to the Government of H.E. the Governor in Executive Council, Port of Spain.

Dated 2nd December 1931.
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Enclosure No.

Furnishing certain information regarding the present occupancy of certain crown lands in the Naparima County of Victoria.

Office of the Deputy Commissioner
Mysore District.
Dated, Mysore, 2nd Dec. 1921

From

P. W. Bowring, Esquire,
Deputy Commissioner,
Mysore District.

To

R. E. Jayarama Iyer, Esq., B.A., B.L.,
Secretary to the Government of
His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore
Muzrai Department, Bangalore.

Sir,

With reference to your letter No.4263 Muz.270-20-5 dated 31st May 1921, calling for certain information regarding the present occupancy etc. in respect of the marginally noted survey numbers belonging to the Sri Narasimhaswamy temple of Talur, I have the honor to state that the report called

S.No. 850, 320, 154, 172

for in respect of S.Nos. 850, and 320 has not yet been received from the Sub Division Officer, French Rocks, in spite of reminders issued He has been again reminded today. On receipt of information from him the report will be furnished in respect of the above two pieces of land.

2. As regards S.No.172 I have to state that the present occupant of the land having appealed to this office against the Sub Division Officer's Order resuming the land in question to Government and directing the sale of the lease thereof, my predecessor in office Mr. S.Hiriannaiya, enquired into the matter, and came to a finding that the land in question belonged to the present occupant's father and not to the temple and accordingly directed that the right to the gutta from the land may be surrendered absolutely in favour of the petitioner (i.e. the present occupant of the land viz. Santa alias Kullichikka).

3. The temple was deriving till now, an annual Gutta of Rs.15/- from the above land for expenses during Rathotsava. Its occupant Kullichikka alias Santa has now undertaken to deposit a sum of Rs.250/- as an endowment to the temple, so that interest accruing therefrom might be utilised in place of the above gutta viz. 15/-. Action will

will be taken separately in this behalf.

Regarding S. No. 154, I beg to state that the matter is pending in appeal before this office and the case is posted for hearing on 5th December 1921. The decision of the case will be reported to Government in due course.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

For Deputy Commissioner,

Mysore District.

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General and Revenue Secretariat

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Serial No. 5

No. 3341

To The Deputy Commissioner
Mysore District

Sir

With reference to your letter No. 174 of 20-21 dated 2nd December 1921 regarding the present occupancy of certain lands belonging to the Sree Narasimhaswami temple at Maddur, I am directed to request you to kindly expedite the submission of

over.

of the records relating to Survey
Nos 154, 320 and 859 ~~and to be~~
up the papers regarding the S. No.
173 for the perusal of and orders
of Govt

I have &c

Dy Supdt
Thu
21/12/29

Asst Superintendent

22/12/29

I am directed to request
that the records
relating to the
disposal of S. No. 173
may be sent
to Govt. for perusal
and orders.

List of enclosures.

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From

The Deputy Commissioner,
Mysore District.

To

The Secretary to the Government of Mysore, Bangalore.

Dated 8th March 1922
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Enclosure Nos Three files.

Subsidy records relating to the lands bearing Survey Nos. 173, 154 & 859 belonging to the Sri Narasimha Swamy temple & Tendekere

11/3/22

OFFICE OF THE DEPUTY COMMISSIONER,
MYSORE DISTRICT,

Dated, Mysore,... 10th February 1922. *192*

From

P.F. Bowring, Esq.,
Deputy Commissioner, Mysore District.

To

T.E.Jayaroma Iyer, Esq., B.A.,B.L.,
Secretary to the Government of His Highness
the Maharaja of Mysore, Bangalore.
Muzrai Department.

SIR,

With reference to your letter No.3341-Muz.270-20-5 dated the 7th January 1922, calling for submission of records relating to the lands bearing S.Nos.154, 173,320 and 859 belonging to the Sri Narasimhaswami Temple at Maddur, I have the honor to submit herewith the records relating to the disposal of S.Nos.154 and 173.

2. The result of enquiry in appeal before this office in respect of S.No.173 has already been reported to Government in this office letter No.C.174/20-21 dated 2nd December 1921.

3. The case relating to the occupancy right of S.No.154 that was pending in appeal before this office, was finally heard on 7th February 1922 and orders were passed up-holding the Sub Division Officer's Order dated 5th May 1920, directing the resumption of the said Survey Number and sale of its lease by auction for a period of five years. The result of the sale in accordance with the Sub Division Officer's order of 1920 has not yet been reported to this office and the same has been called for. On its receipt the same will be communicated to you.

4. Regarding Survey No.320, the Sub Division Officer, reported in his No.15/20-21 dated 27th November 1921, that as the land in seer to have been alienated about the year 1846, there is no provision of law to deprive possession thereof from its present occupants and that he would see his way to enhance the gutta during the current year's Jamabandy. As that is the only thing that is feasible, ~~the~~ under the circumstances, the Sub Division Officer's suggestion was approved by this office and the records were returned to him for further action. The Jamabandi of Mandya Taluk is just commenced and I have reminded the Sub Division Officer on the subject. His report as to the result of action taken is awaited, and after it is received, information will be furnished along with the connected file of papers.

5. The records relating to Survey No.859 are herewith submitted. As it is clear from the records that its alienation took place subsequent to 31st January 1855, the case was found to be a fit one for resumption under Section 274 ii(b) of Vol.I. of the Mysore Land Revenue Manual page 240. The opinion of the Inam Superintendent and of the Muzrai Superintendent was thereupon called for. They are of opinion that the said Survey Number ought to be resumed. Sanction of Government may therefore be kindly obtained for its resumption early.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

for Deputy Commissioner,

Mysore District.

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three files sent separately 8-19-5-22

Proceedings of the Government of H.H the Maharaja of Mysore.

Read --

Correspondence ending with letter No.174 dated 8th March 1922 from the Deputy Commissioner, Mysore District, submitting a report on the alienation of certain inam lands endowed to the Sri Narasimhaswamy temple at Maddur.

O r d e r --, No.

Dated Bangalore,

Representations having been received that several of the lands belonging to Sri Narasimhaswami temple at Maddur, have been alienated, the Deputy Commissioner submitted as desired, two lists, one showing lands which formed the subjects of correspondence with subordinate local officers and the other those pending in his office. He was then requested to expedite disposal of the former and submit the records relating to the latter. He accordingly submitted the records relating to the lands S.Nos.320, 154, 859 and 173 belonging to the temple. (i) As regards S.No.320 the Deputy Commissioner promises to submit a report in the matter after completing his enquiry. His promised further report is awaited.

(ii) S.No.154 was gifted to the temple in 1805 to feeding Brahmans during the

Pattotsava

Ratotsava and the gift was accepted in Government Proceedings No.2739-40 dated 14th May 1910. The lessee, Lakshminarasiah, having failed to act up to the stipulations contained in the registered lease deed executed by him, the Deputy Commissioner has ordered the sale of th right of cultivating this land. The Deputy Commissioner's order is correct and is accordingly approved.

(iii) Regarding inam S.No.859, the Deputy Commissioner reports that this land has been alienated to one Tiruvenkatachar subsequent to 31st January 1853 and on a consultation with the Inam Superintendent in Mysore, solicits sanction for its resumption.

Government agree with the Deputy Commissioner. The land will be resumed to Government under the Chief Commissioner Notification of 1877 and disposed of under standing orders to the best advantage of the temple.

(iv) ~~The land~~ S.No.170, originally stood in the Khata of the temple. One Devarajaiengar was cultivating it, and paying the assessment to Government and a rupee or two to the temple. Subsequently one Kulla Chikke Gowda took over the land in about 1876 and cultivated it till his death in 1895, paying Rs.4/- per annum to the temple as gutta in addition to the assessment on the land. He got the Khata transferred to his name, but whether the ~~mutation was~~ mutation was

made with the consent of the temple management or not is not known. Even though the Khate was in his name, he was paying Rs.4/- per annum to the temple. Subsequent to his death the guardian of his minor son executed before the Deputy Commissioner a registered lease deed in favour of the temple agreeing to cultivate the lands for 6 years and to give the temple Rs.10-4-0 per annum as gutta in addition to paying Rs.28/- as assessment. After the expiry of this lease, the guardian took up, at an auction sale, the right of cultivating this land for a period of 5 years agreeing to give to the temple Rs.45-4-0 per annum as rent in addition to the Sirkar assessment. Objections having been raised to the auction of the gutta of the land, the Deputy Commissioner before whom this matter finally went up in appeal, held that the land belonged to Kulla Chikke Gowda, and not to the temple, and directed the surrender in favour of the applicant, Santa alias Chikka the son of Kulla Chikke Gowda, the right to the gutta of the land, subject to the deposit of a sum of Rs.250/- by the latter as an endowment to the temple.

Having regard to the fact that Kulla-chikke Gowda was himself paying gutta to the temple, Government consider that the action of the guardian of Santa alias Chikka in executing the registered lease-deed and in taking up the land at an auction sale, cannot be said to be bona fide or treated as not bidding on the minor Santa alias Chikka and his father can only be treated as tenants under the temple. The order of the Deputy Commissioner surrendering the land to the appellant is set

aside. He is requested to take steps for the resumption of the land at once for the benefit of this institution and leasing it out under standing orders.

Secretary to Government
Muzrai Department
(In charge).

To

The Deputy Commissioner, Mysore Dist.,

returning the records

The Comptroller to Govt.

CKV